

News Release

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Dworshak announces visitor center holiday schedule

Orofino, Idaho – The Dworshak Dam visitor center will be open Christmas and New Year's weeks from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. daily, except on Dec. 25 and Jan. 1.

The staff invites visitors to bring out-of-town holiday guests to see the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' tallest, straight-axis, concrete, gravity dam. Several movies about Dworshak and the Orofino area are available for viewing in the visitor center. The facility also offers interpretive displays about the local logging history and wildlife.

Fishing enthusiasts will find the boat ramps at Big Eddy and Bruce's Eddy open for use during the holiday schedule. The tailrace area below the dam is also open to the fishing public.

As always, safety is the Corps' greatest concern – boaters should wear lifejackets and avoid drinking alcohol while boating. The road to and from the visitor center can be challenging during inclement weather, so drive safely. The route can be icy this time of year. For more information regarding facilities access and current conditions, call (208) 476-1261 during business hours or (208) 476-1277.